

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN-RE THE APPLICATION OF: M. Takahashi, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/888,453

GROUP: 3761

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EXAMINER: M. Bogart

TITLE: Float For Liquid Waste Disposal Apparatus

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[X] No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL	18	MINUS	32	- 0	X9-\$	X18-\$0
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[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+145-\$	+290-\$
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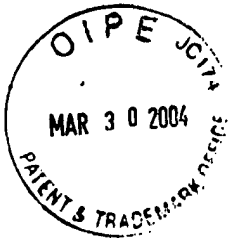
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Responsive to the official Office Action mailed September 30, 2003, (the response to which having been extended by virtue of a petition filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and requisite fee filed herewith), in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows: